SN-US015055

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Shinpei Okajima

Serial No.: 09/836,545

Filed: April 18, 2001

For: SNOWBOARD BOOT BINDING

**BOX MISSING PARTS** Attn.:

Patent Art Unit: 3618

## **COMPLETION OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.53**

BOX MISSING PARTS

The Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Communication dated June 14, 2001, copy attached, submitted herewith are:

- An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. [X]
- An Assignment of the invention to Shimano Inc. [X]
- A check in the amount of \$1384.00 is attached to cover the filing fee of \$710.00, the [X] surcharge fee of \$130.00, and the Assignment recording fee of \$40.00.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees [X] associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.: 19-2042. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
  - Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.16. [X]
  - Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. [X]

Respectfully submitted,

David L. Tarnoff Attorney of Record

Reg. No. 32,383

SHINJYU GLOBAL IP COUNSELORS, LLP

1233 Twentieth Street, NW, Suite 700

Washington, DC 20036

(202)-293-0444

Dated:

DLT/smm

Jun - smm/sn-us015055 Completion of App



## United States Patent and Trademark Office

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

APPLICATION NUMBER

FILING/RECEIPT DATE 04/18/2001

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER

JUN 2 5 2001

Davik L. Tarnoff Shinjy Clopal IR Counselors, LLP Suite 700

1233 Twentieth Street, NW Washington, DC 20036-2680 Shinpei Okajima

SN-US015055

**CONFIRMATION NO. 6824** 

**FORMALITIES LETTER** 

OC000000006179879\*

Date Mailed: 06/14/2001

## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$504.
  - \$504 for 28 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1344.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

06/26/2001 SSITHIB1 00000099 09836545

710.00 OP 504.00 OP 130.00 OP

ECEIVED

15 2001

